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June 23, 2017

Ms. Kristina M. Frederick  
15120 67<sup>th</sup> Avenue E  
Puyallup, WA 98375

Dear Ms. Frederick:

SUBJECT: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request in which you seek U.S. Navy Official Military Personnel File (OMPF) information pertaining to William C. Bales. Your request was received in this office on June 23, 2017, has been assigned FOIA case file number CNPC20170459 by this command.

A releasable copy of available responsive information is enclosed. The redacted portions of the released documentation is exempt from disclosure under FOIA exemption 6 [5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6)]. Release of such information would be a clearly unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of William C. Bales and other identified individuals. Any potentially available adverse documentation contained in an OMPF is categorically denied under FOIA exemption (b)(6) should such information be contained in an applicable record.

Because your request is partially denied by this command, you are advised of your right to appeal this determination in writing to the Office of the Judge Advocate General, OJAG Code 14, 1322 Patterson Avenue SE Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066.

If an appeal is deemed necessary, it must be received in that office within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter, in order to be considered. To expedite an appeal, you should enclose a copy of this letter and a copy of the original request along with a statement regarding why your appeal should be granted. The letter of appeal and the envelope should bear the notation, "FOIA/PA APPEAL."

I am the official responsible for the partial denial of your request. Should you wish to discuss the processing of your request by this command, you may contact the undersigned at

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(901) 874-3165. You may also contact the DON FOIA Public Liaison, Christopher Julka, at Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil or (703) 697-0031.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. P. German', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

D. P. GERMAN  
FOIA/PA Officer  
By direction

CAUTION: NOT TO BE USED FOR  
IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES

THIS IS AN IMPORTANT RECORD.  
SAFEGUARD IT.

ANY ALTERATIONS IN SHADED AREAS  
RENDER FORM VOID

### CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE OR DISCHARGE FROM ACTIVE DUTY

1. NAME (Last, First, Middle) BALES, WILLIAM CLIFFORD		2. DEPARTMENT, COMPONENT AND BRANCH NAVY - USNR		3. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER [REDACTED]	
4a. GRADE, RATE OR RANK SR	b. PAY GRADE E1	5. DATE OF BIRTH (YYYYMMDD) [REDACTED]		6. RESERVE OBLIGATION TERMINATION DATE (YYYYMMDD) 2014AUG11	
7a. PLACE OF ENTRY INTO ACTIVE DUTY SEATTLE, WA		b. HOME OF RECORD AT TIME OF ENTRY (City and state, or complete address if known) [REDACTED] WA [REDACTED]			
8a. LAST DUTY ASSIGNMENT AND MAJOR COMMAND NOSC BANGOR, WA			b. STATION WHERE SEPARATED PERSUPP DET BANGOR WA		
9. COMMAND TO WHICH TRANSFERRED NOSC BANGOR, WA			10. SGLI CO AMOUNT [REDACTED]		
11. PRIMARY SPECIALTY (List number, title and years and months in specialty. List additional specialty numbers and titles involving periods of one or more years.)  X		12. RECORD OF SERVICE			
		a. DATE ENTERED AD THIS PERIOD			
		b. SEPARATION DATE THIS PERIOD			
		c. NET ACTIVE SERVICE THIS PERIOD			
		d. TOTAL PRIOR ACTIVE SERVICE			
		e. TOTAL PRIOR INACTIVE SERVICE			
		f. FOREIGN SERVICE			
		g. SEA SERVICE			
13. DECORATIONS, MEDALS, BADGES, CITATIONS AND CAMPAIGN RIBBONS AWARDED OR AUTHORIZED (All periods of service) NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL, GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE MEDAL X		14. MILITARY EDUCATION (Course title, number of weeks, and month and year completed) RECRUIT TRAINING (BMT), 8 WEEKS, 06DEC. X			
15a. MEMBER CONTRIBUTED TO POST-VIETNAM ERA VETERANS' EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM					
b. HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE OR EQUIVALENT					
16. DAYS ACCRUED LEAVE PAID [REDACTED]		17. MEMBER WAS PROVIDED COMPLETE DENTAL EXAMINATION AND ALL APPROPRIATE DENTAL SERVICES AND TREATMENT WITHIN 90 DAYS PRIOR TO SEPARATION			
18. REMARKS SERIAL NO: 43150-07-0590-AC. NOT AUTHORIZED TRAVEL TIME X The information contained herein is subject to computer matching within the Department of Defense or with any other affected Federal or non-Federal agency for verification purposes and to determine eligibility for, and/or continued compliance with, the requirements of a Federal benefit program.					
19a. MAILING ADDRESS AFTER SEPARATION (Include ZIP Code) [REDACTED]			b. NEAREST RELATIVE (Name and address - include ZIP Code) [REDACTED]		
20. MEMBER REQUESTS COPY 3 BE SENT TO [REDACTED] SEPARATED [REDACTED] DIRECTOR OF VETERANS AFFAIRS [REDACTED] [REDACTED] (Date and signature)					
SPECIAL ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (For use by authorized agencies only)					
23. TYPE OF SEPARATION RELEASED FR ACDU AND TRF TO NAVAL RESERVE			24. CHARACTER OF SERVICE (Include upgrades) [REDACTED]		
25. SEPARATION AUTHORITY [REDACTED]			26. SEPARATION CODE [REDACTED]		27. REENTRY CODE [REDACTED]
28. NARRATIVE REASON FOR SEPARATION [REDACTED]					
29. DATES OF TIME LOST DURING THIS PERIOD (YYYYMMDD) [REDACTED]					30. MEMBER REQUESTS COPY 4 (Initials) [REDACTED]

**BALES WILLIAM CLIFFORD II****Career History**

RECORD NUM	MOS	DUTY	SS	ACTY	LOC	AUIC	DTREC	DTTRF
1	12		1	NR MARDIV 4TH TANK CO A	OH, COLUMBUS	86591	02/18/2007	02/29/2008
2	0	GDTY	1	NAVRESCEN TACOMA WA	WA, TACOMA	62135	02/06/2007	02/15/2007
3	2	STU	1	STU SWOS ENG LS NORFOLK VA	VA, NORFOLK	32261	12/15/2006	02/02/2007
4	3	STU	1	STU CRUIT TRA COMD G LAKES	IL, GREAT LAKES	30646	09/21/2006	12/15/2006